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\$5.00 PRIZE EVERY SATURDAY NIGHT

BIJOU THEATRE

(Where Everybody Goes)

Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday

AROUND THE TOWN

Next Monday is Labor Day,
and a Dominion holiday.

Mrs. J. C. Stevens was a visitor
to Calgary on Monday.

Get your binder whips at the
harness shop.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Daum were
visitors at Wetskiwin for a few
days this week.

Jones Bros. & Teare have
bought out H. Reiber & Co's.
flour and feed business.

Miss Mabel Green has returned
from Calgary after an extended
visit there.

The Didsbury baseball team
go to Olds on Monday (Labor
Day) to take part in the Baseball
tournament.

Richard Collison of Edmonton
came down on Sunday to attend
the funeral of Miss Flossie Gib-
son on Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Gischler
of Milverton, Ont., were guests
at the Ev. parsonage on Thurs-
day of last week.

Mrs. Stevens announces that
she will make a preliminary
showing of early fall millinery
upon her return from Calgary,
which will be about August 27th.

F. B. Milstead returned from a
business trip to Lye, Alta., on
Sunday. He reports the safe ar-
rival of Mr. and Mrs. E. Lind-
quist at their new home.

German services will be held in
the evangelical church on Sun-
day morning at 10.30. All Ger-
man speaking people cordially
invited to attend these services.

Councillor Moyle left on Mon-
day for High River to attend the
meeting of the Union of Alberta
Municipalities as a delegate from
the town of Didsbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reiber
left on Monday for a visit to On-
tario points. Sanford Reiber will
have charge of Mr. Reiber's coal
business while he is away.

Olds will hold their Sports Day
on Monday next (Labor Day). A
fine day's sport has been arrang-
ed, including trapshooting, base-
ball tournament, tug-o-war, etc.
A good time is promised.

Mr. Ussher, manager and pro-
prietor of the Bijou moving pic-
ture theatre announces that pic-
tures will be shown on Tuesday,
Thursday and Saturday of each
week.

Miss M. Bauer requests the
pleasure of your presence at her
millinery opening, Wednesday
and Thursday, August 27th and
28th, over Mr. Liesemer's store.
You are cordially invited.

The Westcott Sunday School
held a children's day service on
Sunday evening which was very
successful, a large number of
people being present. The hand-
some sum of \$27.80 was realized
in collections.

Didsbury needs an undertaker.
Since Durrer & Brusco gave up
the furniture and undertaking
business great inconvenience has
been caused by those needing the
services of an undertaker by
having to go to Olds.

The residents of the north side
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Death of Miss Gibson

The death of Miss Flossie Gibson,
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Gib-
son, took place at the residence of her
parents in east Didsbury on Saturday
morning last, the funeral taking place
on Monday.

Miss Gibson had been ill since May
last and was taken to Calgary to un-
dergo an operation for kidney trouble
but in spite of everything that could
be done for her she gradually failed
until death relieved her of her suffer-
ings. She was born in West Durham
County, Ont., coming to this district
about eight years ago with her parents,
her age being 19 years and 10 months.

Miss Gibson had a large number of
friends in the district who will sadly
miss her, and her parents also have
the sympathy of the community in
their loss.

Sports Day State- ment

CR.	
Subscription.....	\$266.00
Gate Receipts.....	75.10
Entry Fees.....	36.50
Dance.....	39.50
Total.....	\$417.10

Dr.	
Baseball Club.....	\$ 40.00
Football Club.....	20.00
Prizes.....	175.00
Gatekeepers Fees.....	0.00
Printing.....	30.75
Telephone re Football.....	.50
Light account for Dance.....	2.00
Balance transferred to Dids- bury Citizen's Band.....	142.85
Total.....	\$417.10

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THE COUNTRY FAIR

Money Spent in Attending Fairs is Well Invested

Fair time is again upon us. It is the annual holiday handed down by our forefathers who tilled the soil and gathered to discover which had been able to wrest the fairest fruits from their labor. It is a time of healthy competition and relaxation that every member of the family should be allowed to enjoy. Both farmers and city cousins should attend. Even the most insulated city dweller is but a generation or so away from toil tilling as men all tilled the soil or grazed their herds at one time. Those who can have gotten back to the soil after drifting into the unnatural hot-house city life. There is something for everybody at the fair, whether it be merely a country pumpkin show or the more enlarged and classified exhibition and ourselves, especially if you take an active part in entering your best farm produce or help in managing or superintending it. The local fair, like the country newspaper, the country schoolhouse and the country church, is a success or failure just to that extent that home folks take active part. Its power for good is also much greater than ordinarily conceded. Many a big breeder of purebred live stock got his inspiration from the local two-by-two country fair when his cow, pig or colt won the red ribbon from the neighbors. That victory or defeat may have aroused friendly competition which started one of more plain farmers to breeding pure breeds to show neighbors Jones and Smith that they could not beat the products of the rival neighbor's farm. Attend at least two fairs the coming season—the home pumpkin affair, if you wish to so designate it, and the big fair that will be advertised and talked about in your section. See what your neighbors are doing and then see what the best herds, flocks and fields in the Dominion are doing.—Exchange.

An Oil of Merit—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is not a jumble of medicinal substances thrown together and pushed by advertising, but the result of the careful investigation of the curative qualities of certain oils as applied to the human body. It is a rare combination and it won and kept public favor from the first. A trial of it will carry conviction to any one who doubt its power to repair and heal.

Grant's Joke at Vicksburg
 Fifty years ago, when Grant was besieging Vicksburg, the Confederate newspaper of that city, which in the desperate conditions was printed on the reverse side of wall paper, editorially referred to a rumor that Grant had claimed that he would be in possession of the city on the Fourth of July.

The editor gayly reminded the Union commander of the old recipe for cooking rabbits, beginning: First, catch your rabbit.

Vicksburg was surrendered to Grant on the Fourth of July, and one of the first acts of the grim conqueror was to print a second edition of the Confederate newspaper, with this note added to the bantering editorial.

P. S.—July 4. The rabbit has been caught.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

Path of the Sun
 The sun's path is called the ecliptic. It is a great circle of the celestial sphere, cutting the celestial equator at two points 180 degrees apart and making with it an angle of 23½ degrees known as the obliquity of the ecliptic. The crossing points are called the equinoxes, because the days and nights are then equal, and the points midway between the equinoxes are the solstices, because the sun then seems to stand still for a few days.

The ecliptic is so called because eclipses occur only when the moon is crossing it or is near it, for the moon's orbit cuts the ecliptic in two points, called nodes or knots, and at other times is above or below it. If the moon when in either node, is in line with the sun and the earth we have an eclipse, either total or annular. If she is near her node we have a partial eclipse.

The moon's nodes are not stationary, but move backward on the moon's orbit, completing a revolution in about nineteen years, when the eclipses of the period recur in the same order and at about the same intervals as before. This period of eighteen years and eleven days is called the saros. It was known to the Chaldeans and the Greeks and gave them their data for computing eclipses.

Any intelligent person can trace the sun's path in the heavens. If the sun rises exactly in the east and sets in the west it is the time of the equinoxes. If the sunrise and sunset points are farthest south and the sun is very low in the heavens at noonday it is the time of the winter solstice.

Wished He Was a Comet
 I wish I was a star, the dude sighed, smiling at his own poetic fancy. I would rather you were a comet, she said dreamily.

His heart beat tumultuously. And why? he asked, tenderly, at the same time taking her unresisting little hand in his own. And why? he repeated imperiously.

Oh, she said, with a brooding earnestness that fell freezing upon his soul, because then you would come around only once in fifteen years. And he took his hat and went out into the shimmering moonlight.

A WARLIKE PRINCE

The Kaiser's Son Startled Berlin With His Book

Something like a sensation was caused in Berlin by the publication by the German Crown Prince of a book called 'Germany in Arms.' The book, which is most reverently dedicated to the German Emperor and the Prussian King, contains the following motto: The world does not rest more safely on the shoulders of Atlas than does Germany on her army and navy.

The Imperial editor asserts that Germany, more than any other land, has to trust to its armaments, and that as its geographical position is unfavorable, and as all nations do not regard Germany with affection, the country has the sacred duty imposed on it always to maintain its army and navy in a state of readiness. Only in this way, relying on our good sword can we maintain that place in the sun which is ours, but which will not be voluntarily conceded to us.

The Crown Prince goes on to say that diplomacy may delay the conflict for a season, but those in responsible positions must know that once a gigantic conflagration is lighted it is not so easy to extinguish.

Speaking of the delight of riding to an attack, the Prince says there is one delight still greater—namely, that of meeting the enemy at the end of the gallop and the fight for life and death.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria

Paris Police Use Hand Cannon

The Paris police department is equipped with what is considered an effective weapon for use in dislodging criminals who barricaded themselves in houses and defy capture, which is a habit the Paris Apaches have developed quite extensively. The weapon is a hand cannon, designed particularly for throwing bombs, which when they explode will fill a building or room with suffocating gases sufficiently powerful to overcome the occupants. The cannon, which is used behind a portable shield, which completely protects the user from bullets, looks like a piece of iron pipe, and may be carried in the hands or slung over the shoulder like a rifle. It can also be used as a fire extinguisher, for throwing life lines into the upper windows of burning buildings, forcing doors open by hurling heavy projectiles and throwing grenades in war time.

One or the Other

One kid story leads to another. A Cleveland school teacher—one who has at several periods in the sweet scented past favored us with anecdotes about her pupils—sends us an account of a quiz conducted in her geography class only a day or two ago, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer.

In what zone do we live? asked this teacher.

The Temprut Zone! chanted the well drilled class.

Right. And what do we mean by temperate? Willie, you may answer, temprut is where it's freezing cold half the time and roasting hot the other half of the time.

If Willie wasn't sent to the head of the class for that it wasn't because he didn't deserve the honor.

Intervals

First Child—Does your father scold every minute he's in the house?

Second Child—No, not when he is beating us.

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For a high grade shell at a reasonable price, the Winchester Loaded "Repeater" has the call among sportsmen who have tried all makes. Although moderate priced, the "Repeater" is loaded with the best quality of powder and shot. The list of loads furnished in this shell cover most shooters' requirements, and all of them give a full measure of shooting satisfaction. Look for the W on the box. They are **HIGH IN QUALITY MODERATE IN PRICE**

The Speed of Light

The first astronomer to satisfactorily demonstrate the speed of light was Ole Roemer, a Scandinavian scientist, who read his immortal paper on this subject before the Academy at Paris 238 years ago. Roemer's calculations and conclusions have stood the test of time and subsequent investigations on all important points. Knowledge as to the velocity of light was of tremendous importance to astronomical science, since it enabled astronomers to accurately estimate the enormous distances with which their science deals. Roemer found that light travelled at the rate of 186,000 miles in a second. The sun, being distant from the earth 92,000,000 miles, flashes light to us in eight minutes and fourteen seconds. Yet the sun is a near neighbour compared with the so-called fixed stars which in reality move with inconceivable velocity, although the most powerful telescopes will not show that velocity as anything but rest. Beyond the outskirts of our insignificant solar system are other systems, and beyond them still others, so far as the sight of man, aided by instruments, may bridge the ghastly chasm of the infinite. Distances beside which the immense line stretching from earth to sun is an invisible point are now measured by means of Roemer's epochal discovery as to the velocity of light.

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Would Promise, But—

Wouldn't you promise to obey a man of whom you thought enough to marry?

I might, replied Miss Cayenne. But I should undoubtedly have a few things to say if he were ever so impolite as to remind me of my promise.

Reciprocity

Here some crazy scientist says that geese honk like human beings. Well don't some human beings cackle like geese?

HIS OWN DETECTIVE

Jeweller Disguised Himself and Succeeded in Tracing Stolen Pearls

Charles Gys, a Paris jeweller, who was swindled out of three pearl necklaces by a man named Braun, by his own exertions succeeded in finding the thief and recovering the pearls.

Braun pretended to Gys that he had a customer for the necklace, but damped when they were entrusted to him, ostensibly abandoning his wife and children. Mme. Braun exhibited great grief at being deserted, but M. Gys had a suspicion that she was aware of her husband's whereabouts, so he had his hair dyed, donned a false beard and ragged garments and completely disguised as a typical Parisian mendicant, posted himself outside her residence and shadowed her when she went out.

Three days passed and then, with her children she went to the railway station and took the express for Vienna. M. Gys was in the same train, and on reaching the Austrian capital he saw Braun awaiting his family on the platform. He followed the party, and learning that besides being a swindler, Braun was a deserter from the Austrian army, easily induced the authorities to issue a warrant for his arrest.

Captured after a vain endeavor to use a revolver, Braun confessed that he had pledged the necklace for \$4,900 to three Parisian moneylenders. Continuing his researches, M. Gys found the bank in which Braun had deposited this money, secured evidence to show that the three moneylenders were Braun's accomplices, and had them arrested, and eventually traced the pearls.

Accomplishments

It isn't the pull that you have, men respect, Or the help that your many friends give.

It's the effort you make all yourself to collect The price of the life that you live. It is fine to be helped, but it's finer by far.

In the battle for glory or pelf, To strive for hill tops, though distant they are, And to gain them at last by yourself.

He Knew

Oh, Willie, you must put your drum away. This is Sunday. But mother, I was going to play some sacred music.

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DUCK shooting season is bringing the usual amount of complaints of carelessness or wilful disregard of the right and proper use of fire arms at this time of the year. In another column will be found an account of a farmer who had a fine steer killed on Saturday by someones carelessness. It is not to be wondered at when the farmers prohibit shooting on their premises when such complaints as this are made, and those who are careful should use their influence in impressing upon their comrades that when they are allowed to carry on their sport on other peoples property that they should use a little common sense and be careful that no damage is done. This instance is only one out of many, and it might easily have been a case of manslaughter as there are lots of people working around the farms these days that cannot be seen.

Prospecting Parties Plentiful

Roused by recent discoveries of rich undeveloped mineral, asphalt, gas and oil resources in various parts of the western provinces, scores of prospectors and experts known in many camps throughout the United States and Canada and Mexico, are making exhaustive searches in the Peace River country and other northern districts. Central and southern Alberta are also being prospected as never before.

The dominion and provincial governments have their experts in the field and even some of the northern Indians and half-breeds, who usually confine their operations to trapping furs, which is no mean industry when it is recalled that pure black fox whelps bring as high as \$10,000 a pair in this and outside markets, are using the pick, pan and drill to uncover wealth hidden in the hills, canyons and river beds all over the west.

Several hundred thousand tons of provisions and supplies, including mining, drilling and sawmill outfits, have been shipped from Edmonton to the outposts of civilization during the last 90 days, and much more equipment will go forward by river scows and pack trains before the close of the season. Seventeen parties are prospecting in the Canadian Rockies west of Edmonton, but most of the work at present is being carried on in the north country.

William Gordon, a pioneer of the Fort McMurray district, said in Edmonton today that prominent English and American financial houses are backing several of the prospecting parties.

If you are a housewife you cannot reasonably hope to be healthy or beautiful by washing dishes, sweeping and doing housework all day, and crawling into bed dead tired at night. You must get out into the open air and sunlight. If you do this every day and keep your stomach and bowels in good order by taking Chamberlain's Tablets when needed, you should become both healthy and beautiful. For sale by all dealers.

Will Investigate

J. A. Carson of the engineering department of the Great Northern Railway company, and J. S. Willison, a traffic expert of Denver, were in Edmonton yesterday on a tour of investigation which will take them into the north country. It is understood here that the purpose of the visit is to ascertain the traffic possibilities of the Peace River country, which is being developed and settled by farmers and stock-growers from various parts of the world. Mr. Carson said that the Great Northern Railway company has already prepared plans for tapping the coal fields in southern Alberta, also that in his opinion a railway into the Peace River country would prove a paying institution in a few years. The Canadian Northern and the Edmonton, Dunvegan and British Columbia Railway companies are building lines into the northern district. The bonds of

both lines are guaranteed by the provincial government of Alberta to the extent of \$30,000 a mile.

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Buy it now. Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is almost certain to be needed before the summer is over. Buy it now and be prepared for such an emergency. For sale by all dealers.

ROD AND GUN

Contents of the August issue of Rod and Gun in Canada, the Canadian magazine of outdoor life, published by W. J. Taylor, Limited, Woodstock, Ont., include the following: By Canoe and Portage in the Northern Wilderness, by Henry Anton Auer; Where Shall We Go Duck Shooting in 1913-1914 by Bonnycastle Dale; Beautiful Bay of Islands by Lucy Amy; In Southern British Columbia, A Trip to Fish Lake; Certain Manitoban Duck Grounds; Bascom Buys a 'Coon Hound, by George J. Thiessen; Raising Gold Fish, Lucrative Sport; A Talk About Guns; A Fishing Trip to Kedgemakooze N. S.; A Hunting Trip to Pocologan River, N. B. etc., etc. This publication continues to live up to its policy of supplying accounts of the actual experiences of sportsmen in Canadian woods and on Canadian waters.

Preliminary plans are being made in Edmonton to adopt the commission form of government, and it is announced that efforts be made at the election in December to vote into office a mayor and alderman who are in favor of a charter embodying the direct legislation features. Representative business and professional men will visit many of the commission-governed cities in the United States within the next two months to learn at first hand how the plan works and ascertain which features of the charters are most applicable to this city. Edmonton may have a commission of from seven to ten men. The city has the single tax and owns and operates all the public utilities, including street railway, telephones, water, light and paving plants and gravel and coal mines.



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The DIDSBURY PIONEER

MURRAY MURGATROYD
JOURNALIST

By Morice Gerard

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(Continued)

It was now 4.30 p.m. Well, any news? You followed him here all right? Yes! I am not sure he did not fancy he was being watched. Anyway, he had his eyes about him when he got out of the fly.

Is he in the hotel now? No, he went out almost immediately.

Murgatroyd uttered an exclamation of annoyance. What if Muller should succeed in dodging him in the end? Besides, he could not keep Inspector Murphy about indefinitely. He was stretching a point or two as it was, and time with him was golden, and not altogether at his own disposal.

You don't know when he will be back of course?

I found out afterwards he had ordered dinner for 7.30, in the private room he took along with the bedroom—thirty two and thirty four—they are just opposite one another.

Did he take anything with him—the papers? Murgatroyd asked anxiously.

I am not quite sure, but I don't think so. If he did, he was mighty quick about it. Greased lightning would not be in it.

There was nothing for it but to hope for the best. Murgatroyd began to regret, in case of failure at the last moment, that he had sent that wire to the Pioneer.

There was no further use for Jordan. What remained to be done? Murgatroyd must do himself. He was dismissed therefore, with an injunction to call at Henrietta Street the following morning.

Murgatroyd rejoined Inspector Murphy.

The bird has flown for the present. He is to return for dinner at 7.30. I am exceedingly sorry to have given you so much trouble for nothing. I do not like to ask you to return with me later.

I will see the matter out as I have gone so far; but I am not available after 6 p.m. until 9 p.m. I have to be at the office between those hours to receive reports and attend to the business which has accumulated during the day.

Could you call for me here at 9.15. I will be in the billiard room.

That will suit me perfectly; either of us to wire to the other in case of any change. If I am prevented at the last moment, I will send some one in my place, in whose judgment you can absolutely rely.

I hope that will not happen. There is no special reason for think I will, but I like to be prepared for emergencies.

Murgatroyd hardly knew how to fill the interval of suspense and waiting. Action had been easy; but in the tense conditions of his nerves delay was difficult in the extreme. One moment he felt inclined to go and tell Hanley exactly how matters stood. The notion was put aside almost before it had taken shape. He

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must go to him either a success or a failure. He would not present himself hanging, like Mahomet's coffin, 'twixt heaven and earth.

Eventually he had a sherry and biscuit, and then drove down to Baggeley's lodgings. On his way he bought a new edition of the Pioneer.

It spoke optimistically of the Government position with regard to Transalpa, and bitterly condemned the unpatriotic nature of the Opposition to the measure.

The chief has burnt his boats, Murgatroyd muttered sarcastically to himself. Will he have equal faith in me by the time to-morrow's sun is set?

The same number announced that Mr. Reginald Sweeting, M.P. for one of the suburban divisions south of the Thames, would apply at once for the Chiltern Hundreds; and his own name, with a warm eulogium on his ability and versatility, was mentioned for the vacancy. It was the seat Sir Richard Hanley had spoken to him about. He had no doubt that the indirect inspiration of the idea connecting his name with the vacancy in other journals as well as the Pioneer, emanated from Hanley.

Those are the worst payers who pay beforehand, Murgatroyd quoted grimly. From certainty of success, without rhyme or reason, he had sunk to abysmal despondency. He crushed the Pioneer in his hand. A good many people would have liked to serve the smart nocturnal in the same way, it occurred to him.

When he reached Baggeley's doorstep, a groom was leading away his horse; evidently he had just come in from riding.

Good luck! at any rate.

CHAPTER X
Waiting

The last day of suspense had come. Sir Richard Hanley had kept up a show of cheerfulness before his friends, political and social, during the past fortnight. Only Maud, his butler, and his valet—both old servants, who had been with the statesman many years—knew the contrary. In his brain was the iteration of a perpetual question, which met him at his meals, which sat behind him as he rode through the Park, and over the frosty roads leading in and out of London, north and south—above all which lay by his side at night, and spoke to him amid that mysterious silence which comes upon a great city about two o'clock in the morning—the most impressive silence in the whole world to the wakeful watcher.

Quite as much as Murgatroyd, Hanley had reached a marked and conspicuous milestone in his life. Some thing was written on it. What that writing was as yet seemed as uncertain and elusive as the obiter dicta of a Delphic oracle. It might be as the Handwriting on the Wall in ancient Babylon; and as the days drew on without news, Hanley grew to be certain that it was to be.

During the wakeful nights his whole past had risen before him. It was a consecutive panorama of conspicuous and unfulfilling success. Born to a good position, and the inheritor of a name which had won honors for itself in both camp and court, he had made it greater. Wealthy by inheritance, his aims had never been sullied by the perpetual striving to make a good show with a narrow margin, which has been the bane of many capable units of the great governing class. Of late he was well aware he had filled a much larger place in the estimation of the country, and of his colleagues than he had done at any previous period of his life.

Next to the First Lord of the Treasury and Leader of the House, he held far and away the most commanding place in the Commons; and in his own department of Foreign politics the Cabinet gave him practically a free hand. Being a position of power, it was pari passu a position of responsibility, liable to the making of mistakes, which from their far-reaching effects must necessarily be great ones. If the height was dizzy to which Hanley had climbed, the fall would be as precipitous. In the delicate negotiation of this Transalpan question he had proved again and again his grasp of the subject and the mastery of intricate details. At the same time, his delicate handling of the negotiations, which at any moment might plunge this country into a war whose issue no one could foresee, had evoked the applause of those best qualified to judge.

Now the end was near, and on the resultant issue, he had staked all—reputation for judgment, influence, power. What he had done and gained for his country in the past would be forgotten, indelibly obliterated, by present failure. Hanley recognized that while he had troops of friends he had many enemies—men like Thompson-Halliday, infinitely beneath him, in mental calibre, and lofty judgment, but all the more capable of the petty malignity which would serve to intensify his fall. Nor did Hanley care only for himself. He was loyal to his colleagues and his party. Neither could come unscathed out of such a disaster as his own practical defeat. The events of the next few hours might undermine the results of the steady work of years, and put back—as he judged it—the clock of time.

He had been in his study till late the night before and had prepared two statements for the House of Commons—the one with the additional evidence he hoped to get, evidence which would have rendered his case irrefutable and triumphant; the other without it, still strong and reasonable, but as he recognized clearly, been

his when the morning was on the point of view of his own supporters, and capable of powerful attack from the Opposition.

He did not come down to the breakfast-table till late. What little sleep he had enjoyed had by no means conclusive even from the point of breaking into its tiny February dawn. He looked over his letters with a shaking hand. There was no line from Murgatroyd.

Maud had satisfied herself on this point beforehand, when she arranged as she always did, the letters beside her father's plate. She watched him furtively. While the footman was in the room conversation was impossible.

The man gone, Maud came and put her arms round her father's neck.

I am awfully sorry you have not got the letter you wanted. I cannot understand it. I should have thought Mr. Murgatroyd would have written whether he had succeeded or not.

I told him—in fact, he sees the papers down there, and knows as well as I do—that it was now or never. The suspense is awful, and I cannot bear to think of the long dinner to-night, and the talk afterwards.

Cannot you send some excuse—a headache or a cold? Maud inquired with feminine solicitude.

(To be Continued)

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Corns are caused by the pressure of tight boots, but no one need be troubled with them long when so simple a remedy as Holloway's Corn Cure is available.

Odd Uses of Sugar

If all the sugar that is eaten in the course of a year were to be equally divided, every person in the world would have at least twenty pounds. But besides being used as food, sugar has many industrial uses. It is the cheapest form of a chemically pure carbohydrate, and is often used in place of starch, dextrin, or glucose. Sugar is frequently put in compounds for removing and preventing boiler scale. It is used in the manufacture of shoe-blackening, transparent soap, copying-ink, and inkrollers for printresses. Certain explosives contain from six to forty per cent. of it. It is employed in dyeing establishments, by tanneries for filling leather and in a large number of other industries. Sugar has a hardening and strengthening action in mortar. The mortar used to rebuild the Museum of Natural History in Berlin consisted of one part lime, one part sand and two parts sugar. Even a very small quantity, however, even as little as one-quarter of one per cent, exerts a very harmful effect on cement.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows

Aluminum Servant of Man

When the history of our age is written the story of aluminum is going to occupy a prominent page, says Harpers Weekly. It is quite as wonderful as the story of electricity, the all-pervading giant that lay hidden for ages in murky clouds, in masses of coal, copper and soft iron, and in myriads of waterfalls, until Franklin and Morse and Edison put him in harness and made him one of the most useful and ingenious servants of man. Aluminum, which constitutes nearly one-twelfth of the earth's crust, lay obscure until Sir Humphrey Davy in 1808, declared that clay and many clayey rocks depended upon some metal as a base.

A Lark's Lofly Flight

Some Bavarian officers experimenting with a balloon 6,000 feet aloft noticed a little black speck which seemed to accompany them and which they thought was one of the cards they carried for throwing out reports and that the dropping of the balloon drew it along, but on looking at the barometer they found that the balloon was rising and not dropping. Suddenly, however, a loud chirping showed that it was a lark, which flying at this extraordinary height, had been frightened by the balloon.

Life in Macedonia

We arose early one February morning and left our fairly clean hotel in Neapolis for four hours of travel over the modern road near the Via Egnatia, which should take us to ancient Philippi. Our vehicle was a somewhat dilapidated hack, such as Americans are familiar with at almost every considerable railway station but surprisingly comfortable conveyance for this part of the world. Rattling down some steep, roughly paved streets we came to the centre of the great Roman aqueduct and ascended another steep street on the other side of the market place.

Early as it was, we found that the people of Kavalla were up and doing. The stalls of the fruit men were attractive with oranges, pomegranates, lemons and dates. The vegetable dealers displayed a tempting array of cauliflowers, cabbages, onions, okra, leeks and potatoes.

As in all eastern cities, there was no privacy. The cook was preparing his breakfast on the sidewalk, the shoe-maker was plying his awl, the tailor his needle, and the blacksmith was shoeing his horses almost in the very street.

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Good blood—rich, red blood—makes all the difference between health and sickness. If the blood is thin and watery, the health of the whole body suffers. The sufferer becomes nervous and irritable; the stomach fails in strength and the appetite becomes poor. Food does not give the necessary nourishment, and the first feeling of weakness passes, as time goes on, into a general breakdown in the health. The case of Mrs. Angellique Gagnon, of St. Jerome, Que., illustrates the truth of these statements.

Mrs. Gagnon says: "I am fifty years of age and up to a few months ago always enjoyed the best of health. Then I began to feel run-down and weak, without patience or ambition. My appetite grew poor, and my nerves seemed to be on edge, and the least noise or worry would make me irritable and nervous. Life became an actual burden and I could no longer look after my household duties. My doctor prescribed and ordered a change, saying that I was a nervous wreck. I tried to become interested in other things, but failed, and my condition was really deplorable. I continued in this condition for several months, gradually going down, and as my doctor was not helping me I was easily persuaded by a friend to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. After taking the pills for a few weeks I could see an improvement, and I gladly continued using them for a couple of months, when I found my health fully restored. I am more than thankful for what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done for me, and I gladly recommend them to all who are weak, nervous and run down."

By making rich, red blood Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure such cases as Mrs. Gagnon's. In the same way they cure nervous headaches, neuralgia, indigestion, rheumatism, St. Vitus dance, and the ailments that come to growing girls and women of mature years. If you are at all unwell start to-day to cure yourself with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, what they have done for others they will surely do for you, if given a fair trial. Sold by all druggists or by mail, post paid, at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by addressing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

At first it has been contended, men used both arms indifferently, and those who when fighting pushed the right side forward had the advantage of shielding their hearts and so lived to produce descendants who inherited their tendencies. Be this as it may, there is no doubt that the two sides of the brain have different functions, and right or left-handedness is by no means restricted to the arms alone. One investigator was very often able to recognize left handedness by the examination of the left eye. The centre of speech is on the left side of the brain of a right handed person and on the right side of a left handed person. Children show unmistakable evidence of two speech centres, though one atrophies owing to the preference given to one hand. Nevertheless experiments show that it can be successfully resuscitated.

GILLETTS LYE
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RAILWAYS AND CARTAGE

Canadian Railways Cancel Tariffs Covering Cartage Points in Dominion

Railways of Canada have issued notice of cancellation of tariffs covering cartage points in Canada, effective October 1, 1913. On and after that date shippers and consignees will be expected to make their own arrangements for cartage.

It is stated that this action on the part of the transportation companies in the result of the failure to renew existing contracts with the cartage companies at present prices, the latter claiming that owing to increased cost of supplies, labor and other matters entering into the performance of the service, they must have increased compensation. On the other hand, the railways contend that it is impossible to increase their burden of such extra expenses for the very reason given by the cartage companies—namely, increased expenses.

The change in conditions at cartage points in Canada, it is pointed out, is in line with practices which have long prevailed at American Cities, where the public are obliged to make their own arrangements with the cartage companies for deliveries to or from the railway terminal.

One of the commonest complaints of infants is worms, and the most effective application for them is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

Tanning by Electricity

A new electric tanning process, invented by the Swedish scientist, Dr. A. Groth, and applied on a practical scale in an English works, is attracting much attention, and one of the prominent electrical firms is to take it up for commercial use. With this method, the hides are put in special vats along with metal conductors, so as to carry out an electrolytic action, and this will tan the hides in much less time than usual, for instance, six weeks as compared to several months. Leather of better quality is produced in this way, and the method gives a perfect and solid tanning. Various electrical devices in the shape of regulators, also safety apparatus for over-current, make the process almost an automatic one.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper

A Scotch caddie is almost certain to be a shrewd observer of men and things, and he is frequently gifted with a sharp tongue of his own.

Lang Willie was for many years a well-known figure on the St. Andrews golf links. On the occasion of Louis Kossuth's visit to St. Andrews a public dinner was given in his honor and Willie applied for a ticket to the ballie who was in charge of the arrangements. The worthy man curtly refused the application, saying to Willie that it was no place for the likes of him to be at the dinner.

No for the likes of me? Was Willie's indignant rejoinder. I've been in the company of gentlemen from 11 to 4 o'clock most days for the last thirty years, and that's mair than you can say!

A teacher in a big elementary school had given lessons to an infant class on the ten commandments. In order to test their memories she asked:

Can any little child give me a commandment with only four words in it?
A hand was raised immediately.
Well? said the teacher.
Keep off the grass, was the reply.

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HER SUITORS

They Wouldn't Be Refused

By ELEANOR TREADWELL

Miss Marguerite Ashton, a young lady of Chicago, was left alone in the world at nineteen by the death of father and mother with a fortune of two millions. Miss Ashton's brother had died several years before the others; consequently all her father's property descended to her. He had left the management of the estate to a young man he had brought up in his business, Edmond Warfield, in whose hands he felt that it would be perfectly safe and his daughter would reap the benefit of every cent. For Warfield was not only a man of excellent business judgment, but perfectly honest and honorable. At the time of Mr. Ashton's death Warfield was in his prime, being thirty-five years old.

The Ashtons were of the newly rich, Mr. Ashton having made the bulk of his fortune in a large real estate speculation shortly before his death. His daughter had no knowledge of the world or of society. There was no near relative with whom she could make her home, and she did not relish living alone. It was natural, therefore, that she should wish to see something of the world, and, being invited to join a party going abroad, she decided to avail herself of the opportunity.

After visiting the principal cities of western Europe Miss Ashton found herself in Rome at the most expensive hotel there. She was still the unsophisticated Chicago girl, but her surroundings had changed. This difference for her did not consist in the vast field of antiquity about her, for, although fairly educated, a girl of twenty is not likely to be versed in the literature that has been handed down to us from ancient Rome. What was new to Miss Ashton was the collection of persons from all parts of the world she found in the Eternal City. Though she obtained no entree into Roman society,



EVERY HEAD WAS CRANED FORWARD, EVERY EYE AND EAR OPEN.

she was thrown in with tourists of every variety.

Rome, too, has its share of adventurers. Wherever is the American with his furrowed dollars to spend there is the adventurer, and no class is so susceptible of affording plunder for dissolute foreigners as American heiresses.

Miss Ashton could not long remain in one place without attracting the attention of these cormorants. She was simplicity itself. When visiting the golden house of Nero—and the guide showed her a ruined apartment as the emperor's smoking room—she did not stop to consider that some fifteen centuries had elapsed after Nero's time before tobacco was introduced into Europe. When inspecting tableware exhumed from Pompeii and the guide showed her certain dishes from which he told her the Pompeians drank their coffee it did not occur to her that a similar period had elapsed before Europe had begun to enjoy that beverage. It is not strange that a girl so easily deceived in these matters should put faith in any man who claimed that he loved her.

Miss Ashton spent a winter in Rome, and when spring came she had received a number of propositions of marriage. There are many princes in Italy, for every one descended from an ancient ruler of one of the formerly independent principalities of what is now United Italy bears the title of prince or princess. Among Miss Ashton's train of suitors were a prince, an English earl, a German baron and a

French marquis.

It was fortunate for Miss Ashton that there were so many of these suitors that they balanced one another. Had there been but one it is quite probable that by persistence he might have won the prize. The prince poured into her ear tales of his beautiful home in Sicily, where they could dream the happy hours away. The earl pictured his estates in Hereford, England (loaded with mortgages); the baron his Schloss in Westphalia, Germany. The marquis spoke eloquently of his chateau on the banks of the Loire that had been the home of kings and had descended to him through thirteen generations.

To this nobleman the young lady said that she could not think of marrying into the thirteenth generation, since that was an unlucky number.

Miss Ashton after her father's death became used to looking upon Edmond Warfield as a sort of manager for anything, irrespective of finances, that she could not manage herself. He had made all the arrangements for her trip. He had heard not a word from her since her departure till one day he received a cablegram: "Do please come to Rome at once. I am all tangled up."

Though she did not know it, Marguerite Ashton had been an object of interest to Warfield from the time she was five years old and used to climb on his lap to listen to stories he would tell her. She was to him the daughter of the man who had given him his opportunity for his life's work. He was busy at the time he received the cablegram, and it was difficult for him to leave Chicago. Nevertheless he sailed at once for Naples and in a few hours after his arrival in Italy was in Rome.

"Well, Margie, what is it?" he asked as soon as the two had settled down to business.

"I'll tell you. I can't imagine how it happened that so many men should have fallen in love with me at once. I suppose it's the Italian air or something, but it's so. And the worst of it is that none of them will be refused. There's Prince Bolozzi. I've told him again and again that I can't love him, and he threatens to jump into the Tiber. Baron Becker says if I won't go with him to his estates in Westphalia as his wife his life will hereafter be one dark cloud. Earl Bidleton pleaded his cause so pathetically that I couldn't help saying 'Yes.' I've half promised the marquis, and, indeed, there isn't one of them I'm not partly committed to."

"I see no way out of it for you," said Warfield, "but to go into a betrothal bankruptcy. However, I'll make inquiries about these gentlemen and report to you if any of them bears a good reputation. If so and you wish to marry him I'll help you out with the others—which as your guardian I have a right to do—and you can be wedded to the man of your choice whenever you like."

"There isn't any of them the man of my choice."

"Well, then, we'll have to get rid of the lot."

"How can that be done without the prince jumping into the Tiber and the marquis?"

"We'll have them locked up till they get over it."

"Oh, my goodness gracious! I could never look them in the face again."

"It would be just as well that you shouldn't. However, my dear Margie, having brought me over here to get you out of your difficulty, perhaps you'd better leave the matter to me."

"That's just what I'd like—that is, if you don't mind such an awful job."

"It won't be so hard for me as it would for you. Don't see any of them till tomorrow afternoon. Then I'll fix it all up so that you won't have any more trouble. Write each of them a note asking him to call here tomorrow at 3 p. m. to receive your final answer."

"All at once? Great heavens, I couldn't do that! They would kill one another."

Warfield persisted and went away with a note for each of the suitors, which he posted at once.

The next afternoon Warfield called before the others. He exacted a promise from Marguerite that she would bear him out in any statement he might make, though he was obliged to assure her that nothing harsh should be said to any of them.

The prince arrived at ten minutes before the appointed hour and was required to wait below. The marquis came next and the baron next. All were in the hotel at 3, and a few minutes later all received a summons to Miss Ashton's private parlor. Scarcely had one entered before there was a rap at the door and another stood at the opening. There was no time for conversation since they came so near together. Some of them recognized others as rivals, and they glared mutually. When they had all been admitted Warfield, who was formally introduced to them, said:

"Gentlemen, Miss Ashton has desired me to announce to you that, having been honored by a proposition of marriage from each and all of you, she has considered your propositions and come to a conclusion."

The speaker paused and cleared his

throat, while the visitors were visibly agitated with expectancy.

Miss Ashton looked from her advocate to the men, whom she expected to either kill one another or commit suicide if refused, like a frightened bird. Warfield proceeded:

"Having carefully weighed the matter in her mind, Miss Ashton has decided to bestow her hand on"—

Every head was craned forward, every eye and ear open.

"Myself."

There was a rumbling of voices similar to that accompanying an earthquake. In another moment Warfield turned toward Marguerite and asked:

"Do you confirm what I have said?"

"Yes, I do!" exclaimed the girl as if she were casting off a burden.

The suitors withdrew in a body, to separate as soon as possible, leaving Warfield and Marguerite together.

"How did you know that?" asked the latter.

"Know what?"

"Why, that I liked you better than any of them?"

Warfield, who was amazed at the revelation, was about to reply "I didn't," but instead he said, "A little bird whispered it to me."

EXECUTIVE ABILITY.

What Tom L. Johnson Whispered to the Young Mayor of Toledo.

In the American Magazine Mayor Brand Whitlock of Toledo, O., writing his autobiography, tells the following story:

"I had gone into the mayor's office feeling that I was about the most ill prepared man for such a job in the town. Naturally I had turned to Tom Johnson, who had a tremendous reputation as an executive. Even his worst enemy, as the saying is, would not deny his wonderful executive ability. I went to him in a sort of despair, and he laughed and whispered:

"It's the simplest thing in the world. Decide every question quickly and be right half the time. And get somebody who can do the work. That's all there is to executive ability."

"I looked at him in amazement. He had grown quite serious.

"There's another thing," he added. "Don't spend too much time in your office. A quarter of an hour each day is generally too long unless there are a whole lot of letters. Of course," he went on reflectively, "you can get clerks who can sign your name better than you can."

"He that hath ears to hear, let him hear."

Butter in Tubes.

In India butter spoils so rapidly when exposed to the warm moist air that government officials are planning to pack it in collapsible tin tubes with screw nozzles—like the tubes in which printing ink, oil paints and certain pastes are sold. Eventually on the dining tables of Indian hotels and restaurants the guests may find "butter tubes," from which each person can squeeze upon his plate as much butter as he may need. The tubes will be made in one pound, half pound and quarter pound sizes. They will be of pure tin, since the volatile fatty acids in butter attack lead and copper and form poisonous and unsightly compounds.

The Lost Watch.

A detective tells this story about a "confidence man," who gave the police a lot of trouble.

One day the detective was in an auction room, where "fake" jewelry was being sold. A lot of watches were offered—cheap, worthless affairs, but got up to look like solid gold. They were knocked down for \$2.15 apiece, and the detective noted that they were bought by this confidence man. Two months later the detective met him and asked him what he had done with the watches. The scoundrel explained his scheme. He had hired a room, put in a desk and a few chairs and made himself up to look like an old man. Then he advertised something like this: "Found—A solid gold watch. Loser can have it by paying costs. Apply," etc. Nearly every smart thief in town answered the advertisement, claimed the watch and paid \$10 for "costs." In two days he disposed of his entire stock in this way, and about 100 smart thieves were fuming over their loss.

Helped by an Earthquake.

Gallipoli, the ancient Callipolis (beautiful city), passed into the hands of the Turks in a remarkable fashion nearly a century before Constantinople. It was among their first European acquisitions. Invited over by Christians to take part in the quarrels, they had crossed the Dardanelles and seized the castle of Tzemye. Then in 1358 came a terrific earthquake, which shattered the cities of Thrace. The walls of Gallipoli fell down, the inhabitants deserted the place, and the Turks marched in over the ruins and stayed there in spite of the remonstrances of the Emperor Cantacuzenus. The Sultan Orkhan replied that providence had opened the city to his soldiers and he could not be guilty of the impiety of disregarding such a manifestation of the divine will.

WAITING FOR THE DROP.

When It Didn't Come It Got on His Nerves.

A traveling man stopped at an Indiana hotel. The proprietor told him he had not a room in the house. The man protested. He must have a room. Finally the proprietor told him there was a room, a little room separated by a thin partition from a nervous man, a man who had lived in the house for ten years.

"He is so nervous," said the landlord, "I don't dare put any one in that room. The least noise might give him a nervous spell that would endanger his life."

"Oh, give me a room," said the traveler. "I'll be so quiet he'll not know I'm there."

The room was given the traveler. He slipped in noiselessly and began to disrobe. He took off one article of clothing after another as quietly as a burglar. At last he came to his shoes. He unlaced a shoe and then, manlike, dropped it.

The shoe fell to the floor with a great noise. The offending traveler, horrified at what he had done, waited to hear from the nervous man. Not a sound. He took off the second shoe and placed it noiselessly upon the floor, then in absolute silence finished undressing and crawled between the sheets.

Half an hour went by. He had dropped into a doze when there came a tremendous knocking on the partition.

The traveler sat up in bed trembling and dismayed. "Wh-wha-what's the matter?" he asked.

Then came the voice of the nervous man:

"Hang you! Drop that other shoe will you?"—Philadelphia Press.

A Lightning Change Artist.

A young minister was invited to spend his vacation at the summer home of a wealthy member of his congregation. The little daughter watched the young man very closely during the visit and one morning sat down beside him and began to draw on her slate.

"What are you doing?" the minister inquired.

"I'm going to draw your picture," replied the child.

The young man sat very still, and the little girl worked away very earnestly. Suddenly she stopped and compared her work with the original.

"I don't like it very much," she said. "I guess I'll put a tail on it and call it a dog."—New York Evening Post.

His Synonym For Quick Retreat.

In the sixth grade the teacher was questioning a boy about Napoleon's disastrous invasion of Russia and the subsequent retreat from Moscow.

"What did the French do then?" she asked.

"They ran away," replied the boy.

"Yes, that is what they did," said the teacher, "but 'ran away' is hardly the correct phrase to use. What should you have said?"

"The boy's face lighted up with understanding.

"They beat it!" he exclaimed quite proudly.—Kansas City Journal.

Didn't Know When to Stop.

"The great men are all dead," she said with evident regret.

"But the beautiful women are not," he replied, looking earnestly at her.

"Of course," she added after a moment's reflection, "I always except present company."

"So do I," he said.

Then she asked if he would be good enough to conduct her to her husband—Judge.

Knew His Ground.

"You say this man is no chicken stealer?" inquired the judge.

"Yassuh," replied Erastus Pinkley.

"Da's what I said."

"What do you know about the facts in this case?"

"I isn't s'posed to know nuffin' 'bout

facts in de case. I is an expert witness foh de defense."—Washington Star.

A Novel Charge.

For the first time in Canada, it is said, a charge was laid the other day in Toronto which is not without considerable interest. It is termed "Conspiring to compensate."

In January last Louis Siegel was arrested for stealing a large quantity of furs, and Abraham Panser went bail for him.

It is now alleged that Panser was compensated for so doing, to the extent of \$25, and Nathan Shapiro, along with Louis Panser, are said to have negotiated the amount.

Shapiro got a loan of a diamond pin, pawned it and then got some more money from Louis Panser, with the ticket as security.

All three are now charged with the conspiracy.

There have been convictions in the old country on a similar count and it is on the English law that the present charge is now made.

Graduate Gets Good Job.

Romiro Dias, who graduated from the Ontario Agricultural College this year, has received the appointment of agricultural expert from the Minister of Agriculture of the Argentine Republic. Mr. Dias, who hails from the Argentine, has had a very successful college career here.

GENERAL PICKETT.

The Friendship Between Him and Lincoln and Grant.

A NOVEL BATTLEFIELD SCENE

When the Blue and the Gray Joined in a Birthday Celebration—A Meeting With Grant in Washington—Lincoln's Visit to Mrs. Pickett.

In Mrs. Pickett's introductory chapter to "The Heart of a Soldier. As Revealed in the Intimate Letters of General George E. Pickett, C. S. A.," there is an extremely interesting story. It appears that while at Richmond, just after the surrender, she was summoned to the door by a sharp rap. She gives a charming account of what followed:

"With my baby on my arm I answered the knock, opened the door and looked up at a tall, gaunt, sad faced man in ill fitting clothes, who, with the accent of the north, asked:

"Is this George Pickett's place?"

"Yes, sir," I answered, "but he is not here."

"I know that, ma'am," he replied, "but I just wanted to see the place. I am Abraham Lincoln."

"The president?" I gasped.

The stranger shook his head and said: "No, ma'am; no, ma'am. Just Abraham Lincoln; George's old friend."

"I am George Pickett's wife, and this is his baby," was all I could say.

My baby pushed away from me and reached his hands to Mr. Lincoln, who took him in his arms. As he did so an expression of rapt, almost divine tenderness and love lighted up the sad face. It was a look that I have never seen on any other face. My baby opened his mouth wide and insisted upon giving his father's friend a dewy, infantile kiss. As Mr. Lincoln gave the little one back to me, shaking his finger at him playfully, he said:

"Tell your father, the rascal, that I forgive him for the sake of that kiss and those bright eyes."

Mrs. Pickett explains the interest Lincoln showed in her husband by stating that it was through Mr. Lincoln's influence that her husband received his appointment to West Point.

One impression the book conveys is that of the kindly and generous feeling that existed between Confederates and Unionists graduated from West Point who had been friends before the war. An exhibition of this feeling was made at the time of the birth of General Pickett's first baby. Mrs. Pickett, telling the story, says:

On the occasion of my son's birth bonfires were lighted in celebration all along Pickett's line. Grant saw them and sent scouts to learn the cause. When they reported he said to General Ingalls: "Haven't we some kindling on this side of the line? Why don't we strike a light for the young Pickett?"

In a little while bonfires were flaming from the Federal line. A few days later there was taken through the lines a baby's silver service engraved, "To George E. Pickett, Jr., from his father's friends, U. S. Grant, Rufus Ingalls, George Suckley."

General Pickett, in a letter from Washington, relates another incident in which this same kindly feeling was manifested:

After breakfast we went, as arranged, to see Grant. I can't just tell you, my darling, about that visit. You'll have to wait till I see you to tell you I w the warm hearted, modest old warrior and loyal friend met me; how he took in his hand of your heart-sore soldier—poor, broken, defeated, profession gone—and, looking at him for a moment without speaking, said slowly, "Pickett, if there is anything on the top of God's green earth I can do for you, say so."

When I started to go Grant pulled down a checkbook and said, "Pickett, it seems funny, doesn't it, that I should have any money to offer, but how much do you need?"

"Not any, old fellow; not a cent, thank you," I said. "I have plenty."

"But Rufus tells me that you have begun to build a house to take the place of the one old Butler burned, and how can you build it without money? You do need some."

"I have sold some timber to pay for it," I told him, and to show my appreciation and gratitude, unobserved, I affectionately squeezed his leg, when he called out: "Rufus, it's the same old George Pickett. Instead of mulling my leg, he's squeezing it."

Sugar For the Heart.

Sugar is a splendid medicine for the heart in certain diseases of this organ. In others, such as oedema, it has no effect. In the London Lancet is reported the cure of a woman of seventy-seven with "rapid, irregular, feeble pulse, cyanosis and attacks of paroxysmal breathing" by the administration of four ounces of lump sugar every twelve hours, gradually diminishing the dose for several weeks.

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GOOD AND BAD TAXES

"It is peculiar," said the Reeve of Middlemass to his Western nephew, as they sat before the fire and listened to the winter storm howling without, "how few people realize what an abundant and growing revenue is provided for the Dominion of Canada by the customs and excise tariff."

The Modern Farmer

The two men were admirable examples of Eastern and Western farmers. The Reeve reminded the observer of one of the great oaks in the Reeve's own woods, a tree assailed by the winds but sturdy in its old age. A silent man was the Reeve, and given to speech only when he had brooded long over his subject. The nephew was a long, lithe non-chalant person, skeptical about the statement of others but enthusiastic in regard to his own, a steel spring of a man, and watchful of his interests. Neither bore any resemblance to that strange hybrid which vaudeville artists delight in presenting to urban audiences as the agricultural type. They never said "By heck" in their lives. Nor had any of their relatives, friends or ancestors. The familiar characteristics of the stock creation of the actor's brain were absent. They could not resemble something which does not exist except on the variety stage.

"How abundant?" drawled the nephew, "and how growing?"

The Direct Tax

The Reeve paused before replying, and allowed his eyes to take in the group picture of his farm buildings, together with photographs of bird's eye views of certain choice fields, which hung on the wall. He had the finest farm in the county, and prised it next to his wife and children.

"I'd hate to see a direct tax put upon this land and these buildings to help replace the revenue raised by customs and excise if some of your wild Western free traders realized your ideal, and abolished customs and excise," he remarked.

"What are your figures?" asked the nephew.

The Reeve went to his desk and picked up a Government blue book which lay open beside the telephone.

Indirect Taxes

"In 1911," he said, "The Dominion Government's total revenue was \$117,780,409. That is the amount they had to run Canada's business with. How much of it came from the customs. Just \$73,312,367. About 62 per cent. How much from excise duties? \$16,869,837. About 14 per cent. That is, 76 per cent. of the revenue of the Dominion came from customs and excise."

"Really!" exclaimed the Westerner. "Customs duties paid by Ontario amounted to \$29,139,382," continued the Reeve. "Ontario is my Province. I am not objecting to duties if they are properly levied. What about your Province, Alberta? It paid \$1,935,656 in customs last year. That is not a very heavy imposition. Saskatchewan only paid \$1,519,824, while British Columbia and Manitoba, where one hears very little agitation for tariff reduction paid \$8,154,841 and \$7,083,670 respectively."

The Results of a Revenue

"How does the Government spend the money?" inquired the nephew. "Does much of it find its way to the prairie provinces?"

"It would take up too much time to state in detail how the total revenue of \$117,780,409 was spent," replied the Reeve, "but I can give the most important items; interest on the national debt, \$12,535,850; administration of justice, \$1,282,401; militia, \$6,868,651; public works, \$8,621,431; subsidies to the provinces, \$9,093,471; post office, \$7,954,222; railways, canals and the collection of revenue, \$11,133,350; light houses and coast service, \$1,979,433. These are the chief items, of which 76 per cent. are paid by the customs and excise duties. Don't the prairie provinces get their proportionate share of the good derived from the expenditure in administration of justice, militia, subsidies to Provinces, etc.?"

"I suppose we do," answered the nephew, "but how can you prove that the revenue is abundant?"

A Growing Income

"By stating that the Government had a surplus of about \$20,000,000 last year," returned the Reeve, after consulting the blue book.

"And is it growing?" inquired the nephew.

"In 1811," replied his uncle, "the customs amounted to \$18,500,785; in 1891, to \$23,481,969; in 1901, to \$29,104,978, and in 1911 to \$73,312,367. That's growth, isn't it?"

"You have proved your original contention, without doubt," admitted the nephew. "I cannot deny that the revenue produced by customs and excise seems to provide very nicely for the various little bills which Canada is called upon to settle annually. But it looks almost too easy and pleasant

for us farmers to believe. Isn't it only direct taxation after all, and do not the customs and excise duties really come out of our pockets?"

Who Pays the Excise?

"Take the matter of excise," said the Reeve, by way of reply, "which is a tax paid directly by the manufacturers of intoxicating liquor and indirectly by the customers thereof. How much liquor do you drink in a year?"

"That's a leading question," replied the Westerner. "Let me calculate. I take a little drink usually when I go to town, which is once a week on the average. Estimating on the basis of two drinks a visit, twice three fingers straight, size fingers. Fifty two times six equals three hundred and twelve fingers annually. About two gallons I should judge."

"Rum," said his uncle, looking at the lightning calculator over his glasses. "You pay more excise than I thought. The excise tariff on spirits when made from raw grain is \$1.90 per proof gallon, so you pay your share—\$3.80. Liquor never enters this house except at Christmas. I would say that my annual contribution to the country's excise would be fifty cents."

Where the Weight Lies

"Shameful!" remarked the nephew. "You are shirking your national responsibilities."

"Never mind," said the Reeve grimly. "I pay enough direct taxes without having to pay much in the way of indirect taxes, and any one can see by this blue book that the burden of the customs duties are paid by the urban population. Would you like to have the weight shifted by laying an additional direct tax on farm property?"

"I would not," replied the nephew promptly.

"Nor I," said the Reeve. And having agreed upon the weather, they went cheerfully to bed.

BIG RETURNS FROM TWENTY-FIVE ACRES

Brant County Farmer realizes Over \$4,000 Per Year From His Little Farm

To those who hold to the belief that rural Ontario is in a state of decay the following testimony of a farmer in Brant County, Mr. J. W. Clarke by name, should prove illuminating. Mr. Clarke has secured the following results from a farm of only 25 acres. He said in a recent speech at the Guelph Agricultural College:

"I keep poultry, grow fruit and produce some honey. My poultry consists of a flock of Orpingtons and the product is sold for breeding purposes. My farm year does not end until March and my sales to date are: Eggs for hatching \$ 600
Other eggs 100
Breeding Stock 1,580
Dressed poultry 100
535 bbls. apples net 1,400
Apples sold locally 120
Pears and Strawberries 105
Tomatoes 100
Raspberries 80
Grapes 60
Honey 440

"My orchard consists of 5 acres of apples, mostly Kings, Spies and Greenings 30 years old. I keep 150 laying hens and these have the run of the orchard, being kept in summer in colony houses 6x7, with 50 hens to a house. My wage bill aside from board, runs about \$450 a year."

FEWER CATTLE IN WESTERN CANADA

Decline of Live Stock Industry Bears on High Cost of Living

Butchers' cattle are now selling as high in Winnipeg, Edmonton, and Calgary as in Toronto and Montreal, and this is an unusual condition. Receipts at Winnipeg for 1911 showed a falling off from the record of the previous year of over eighty thousand head of cattle. The reason for this is not hard to find. The ranches of the west have been rapidly broken up and converted into farms to be devoted largely to wheat-raising. Hence the increases of over two million acres in the amount of land under cultivation in the three western Provinces last year, and hence also the great losses which have been sustained through the deterioration of millions of bushels of grain which could not be marketed in time to escape the rigorous western winter. Were the farmers of western Canada able to feed all the grain now spoiling in the fields for want of some agency to move or utilize it they would have a substantial profit, which under the present conditions they must lose. Incidentally, the beef famine and high food prices would be minimized.

The Prince's Promise

When King George was on board the Britannia as a boy he promised his mother that he would read a chapter of the Bible every day. Through all the changes of his life to this day that promise has been faithfully and

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NOTICE

To GEORGE VINCENT JOHN-SON, of Didsbury, in the Province of Alberta

TAKE NOTICE that an action has been commenced against you by Benjamin Lawrence Brown, in the District Court of Alberta, Judicial District of Edmonton, in which the said Benjamin Lawrence Brown as plaintiff claims specific performance of a certain Agreement made between himself and you, for the purchase of the Southeast Quarter of Section Twenty-eight (28) Township Forty-four (44) Range Eight (8) West of the Fourth Meridian, in the Province of Alberta, or payment of the sum of \$430.00 with interest at 6% from May 12, 1913, and in either event with the costs of this action.

And further take notice that you are requested to enter an appearance at the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Edmonton Judicial District, at Edmonton, on or before the 11th day of October, A. D. 1913, and in default of your so doing judgment may be signed against you by default and your interest in the said land may be foreclosed.

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Alberta Fairs, 1913

Circuit No. 3.—Cardston, Aug. 19 and 20; Magrath (Deserett) Aug. 22 and 23; Raymond, Aug. 26 to 28; Pincher Creek, Aug. 28 and 29.

Circuit No. 4.—Daysland, Aug. 5 and 6; Sedgwick, Aug. 7; Chauvin, Aug. 8; Edmonton, Aug. 11 to 16; Vegreville, Aug. 19 and 20; Red Deer, Aug. 20 to 22; Wetaskiwin, Aug. 26 and 27; Manson, Aug. 29; Trochu, Sept. 1 and 2; Stromé-Villam, Sept. 3; Hardisty, Sept. 4; Stettler, Sept. 5 and 6; Cochrane, Sept. 9 and 10; Olds, Sept. 11 and 12; Fort Saskatchewan, Sept. 16; Stony Plain, Sept. 17; Innisfree, Sept. 18 and 19; Mannville, Sept. 22 and 23; Vermillion, Sept. 24 and 25; St. Albert, Sept. 26; Kinocoy, Sept. 30; Lloydminster, Oct. 2; Paddle River, Oct. 3.

Circuit No. 5.—Lonsdale, Sept. 11 and 12; Castor, Sept. 16 and 17; Coronation, Sept. 18 and 19; Camrose, Sept. 23 and 24; Ponoka, Sept. 25 and 26; Alix, Sept. 30; Lacombe, Oct. 1 to 3; Leduc, Oct. 7; Provost, Oct. 8 and 9.

Circuit No. 6.—Medicine Hat, Sept. 9 to 12; Winnipeg, Sept. 16 and 17; Taber, Sept. 18 and 19; Millerton, Sept. 23; Three Hills, Sept. 24; Langdon, Sept. 25 and 26; Carbon, Sept. 29 and 30; Swallow, Oct. 1 and 2; Bowden, Oct. 3; Didsbury, Oct. 7 and 8; Pridles and Millerville, Oct. 9.

Circuit No. 7.—Tofield, Sept. 18; Wainwright, Sept. 19; Irma, Sept. 23; Viking, Sept. 24; Hoken, Sept. 26.

Circuit No. 8.—Mid-Femblin, Sept. 5; Falls-Roxboro, Sept. 9; Onoway, Sept. 10; Nakamun, Sept. 11; Walsmun, Sept. 12; Edson, Sept. 16 and 17; Entwistle, Sept. 18; North Alberta, Sept. 19.

Dates for fairs at the following places will be arranged by the local associations: Grand Prairie, Cereal, Elk Point, Cecme, Bassano, Saskatoon Lake and Beaver Lodge, Peace River, Gopher Head, Egocondi, Spirit River, Lesser Slave Lake, Chinook, Warner, Gadsby, Aldrie and Strathmore.

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GREAT BRIDGES

Facts of Great Structures Across the Tay and Forth

Not the least of the extraordinary feats of the redoubtable bridge-builder, Sir William Arrol, was the fact that at one time he carried on two such gigantic contracts as the Tay and Forth Bridges. It was a striking tribute to his great powers of organization, and to his genius for engineering on a mammoth scale. The construction of the Tay Bridge was only half-finished when he made a start with the gigantic undertaking which now spans the Firth of Forth, from the designs of Sir John Fowler and Sir Benjamin Baker. Over a year was spent in the preliminary preparations alone—the designing and making of special plant, the erection of workshops on shore and the thousands and one things essential to the success of such a large scheme. The cost of temporary plant ran to half-a-million sterling, and included thirty steam and other barges, tugs, launches and boats, sixty steam cranes and winches, fifty hydraulic cranes, forty-eight steam engines and hydraulic jacks, hand-cranes and drills, machines almost innumerable; not to mention one million cubic feet of timber and sixty miles of wire. The enormous nature of this engineering wonder of the world may be gathered from the following figures: The total length is over a mile and a half, and consists of two spans, each nearly a third of a mile long; two spans of six hundred and seventy-five feet each. In the piers there are about one hundred and twenty thousand cubic yards of masonry, and in the super-structure over forty thousand tons of steel and some fifteen thousand tons of iron.

The building of the Tay Bridge was an opportunity for a display of his engineering genius which the ambitious bridge-maker eagerly welcomed. A rigorous examination revealed the old foundations to be insecure, and it was decided to build an entirely new bridge a short distance farther up the river. Within five years from its commencement—1882 to 1887—a remarkable erection, over two miles in length, and constructed at a cost of seven hundred and fifty thousand pounds, spanned the estuary, a structure strong enough to defy the fiercest gale that ever blew. It was the greatest engineering triumph of the age, until it was eclipsed by a greater—the Forth Bridge.

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He Wouldn't Do

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The Way of It

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Dining on Books

With the exception of minerals it is difficult for one to find on the earth's surface substances that do not tempt the appetite of some sort of animal. The list of queer articles of diet includes the earth, which is munched with satisfaction by the clay eater, and the walrus hide, which the Eskimo relishes as much as John Bull his joint of beef.

It is not generally known, however, that men, as well as mice and bookworms have eaten dinners that have consisted only of books.

In 1370 Barnado de Visconti compelled two Papal delegates to eat the bull of excommunication which they had brought him, together with its silken cords and leaden seal. As the bull was written on parchment, not paper, it was all the more difficult to digest.

There was also an American general who had signed a note for 2,000 dollars, and when it fell due compelled his creditors to eat it. The Tartars, when books fall into their possession, eat them, that they may acquire the knowledge contained in them.

A Scandinavian writer, the author of a political book, was compelled to choose between being beheaded or eating his manuscript boiled in broth. Isaac Volmar, who wrote some spicy satires against Bernard, Duke of Saxony, was not allowed the courtesy of the kitchen, but was forced to swallow them uncooked.

Still worse was the fate of Philip Oldenburger, a jurist of great renown who was condemned not only to eat a pamphlet of his writing, but also to be flogged during his repast with orders that the flogging should not cease until he had swallowed the last crumb.

FROM GREAT LAKES TO THE ROCKIES

WOMEN SING THE PRAISES OF DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

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Quotations That are Wrong

Some of the most frequently used quotations are not quotations at all, but in many cases convey the opposite meaning of the original wording.

Feinmore Cooper, for instance, thought he was quoting from the Bible when he spoke of an inscription being so devised that he who runs may read, signifying that it was easier to run than read.

If Cooper had looked in his Bible he would have found in the book of Habakuk that the passage he tried to quote was: Write the vision and make it plain that he may run that readeth it. The vision was a warning and the reader was to flee from danger, but the Cooper version has survived the original and practically put it out of use.

A popular chronic misquotation is that of the passage in Hudibras, which says: He that compiles against his will is of the same opinion still. Authors and public speakers without number have twisted that into: A man convinced against his will is of the same opinion still, forgetting that a man who was convinced could not possibly remain of the same opinion for if he was of the same opinion he would not be convinced.

Theodore Roosevelt publicly declared that Washington in his farewell address said: To be prepared for war is the most effective means to promote peace. But the first President said nothing of the sort in his farewell address. In his first message to Congress he said: To be prepared for war is one of the most effective means of preserving peace, and he spoke of other means as well.

Novelists do not seem to be very strong in their knowledge of the Scriptures somehow, and Sir Walter Scott, in 'The Heart of Midlothian,' attempts to point a moral with the words: Our simple and unpretending heroine had the merit of those peace-makers to whom it is promised as a benediction that they shall inherit the earth. The fact is that the peace-makers did not receive any such promise, but it is said that the meek shall inherit the earth.

Pro.—They say lightning never strikes twice in the same place.
Kohn.—Well, what's the use?

ONTARIO WOOD SUPPLIES

Light Thrown on Forest and Trade Conditions by New Government Bulletin

Over 1200 wood-using industries in Ontario contributed the data for a bulletin on this industry now being issued by the Forestry Branch, Ottawa. Thirty four different kinds of wood are being used by these industries and the detailed information regarding the various uses to which such woods are put, should be of considerable value not only to the manufacturer by showing new means of waste disposal, but also to the householder by indicating what native woods are best fitted to replace the more expensive imported stock, for interior decoration, furniture and flooring.

The bulletin also shows incidentally the increasing poverty of Ontario with regard to the more valuable work woods. Almost half of the thirty-four kinds of wood used are obtained principally from outside sources and three and one half million dollars are annually sent out of the province for imported wood stock. The imported oak alone costs one million six hundred thousand dollars annually, for this tree has become commercially extinct in Ontario while the hickory and chestnut groves of southern Ontario have also, almost entirely disappeared. Even good clear white pine is becoming hard to obtain and its market value is steadily rising for it represents twenty one per cent of the total wood consumption in Ontario for industrial purposes.

Of more interest to the small consumer of wood-products are the side lights the bulletin throws on the possibility of substituting cheap home grown woods for the expensive foreign species now used so extensively. Recent tests made of their physical properties have demonstrated the suitability for certain purposes of many native species, hitherto despised by the dealers. For hardwood flooring in place of the oak and maple now in general use, may be substituted the home grown birch and beech which take a high polish and have the advantage of being considerably cheaper.

Likewise for interior finishing, the expensive oak can be very closely imitated by stained black ash and stained birch is almost indistinguishable from mahogany, while stained red gum requires an expert to distinguish it from the costly Circassian walnut. The now expensive white pine is being replaced, where durability is not a requisite, by the cheaper spruce, basswood and elm. Poplar and balsam fir are two of the most common trees in Ontario and that they have wider uses is evident from the fact that poplar is highly valued for hardwood flooring in Manitoba while balsam fir is perhaps the most widely used native species in the Maritime provinces.

The bulletin also indicates the existence of a market in Ontario for sumac, apple and cherry logs. The lumber cut from them being worth \$30, \$40.50, and \$44.50 per thousand feet board measure respectively. The Forestry Branch has already been instrumental in securing sales of the wood of worn out apple orchards and is desirous of further serving the public along these lines. The bulletin on The Wood-using Industries of Ontario can be had gratis from the Forestry Branch, Department of the Interior, Ottawa. A similar report dealing with the Maritime Provinces will appear shortly.

I bought a horse with a supposedly incurable ringbone for \$30. Cured him with \$1.00 worth of MINARD'S LINIMENT and sold him for \$85.00. Profit on Liniment, \$54.00.

MOISE DEROSCE.

Hotel Keeper, St. Philippe, Que.

Novel Musketry Practice

A report comes from Vienna of the utilisation of the cinematograph for instruction in musketry. The firing squad is posted in front of a cinematograph screen, and a moving colored picture of the battlefield is thrown on it from behind them. Each man has to pick up his target, take aim and fire. When a shot is fired the film stops for a second, and the hole made by the bullet in the screen is illuminated by a flashlight behind it, which shows the position of the hit with reference to the target.

Answered

Pa, what is meant by idle curiosity? A very good example of idle curiosity my son, is a twelve-dollar a week shoe clerk asking the price of automobile tires.

The equator is an imaginary line, running around the earth, said the boy who likes to tell what he has learned at school.

An imaginary line, repeated the great railway financier, absent-mindedly. Who is promoting it?

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Correcting the Answer

At a horse-stealing trial out west a jury was gathered and shut up in a room after a brief trial, and when an hour had gone by a mob burst in and unceremoniously demanded what the verdict was.

Not guilty, said the foreman. That won't do, said the leader of the mob fiercely. You will have to do better than that. And he shut the jury up again.

In half an hour the door was opened once more.

Well, gents, your verdict, said the leader.

Guilty, the foreman replied.

There were hurrah from the crowd and the leader said:

Correct. You can go now. We strung him up an hour ago.

Potatoes and Power

One foresees the triumph of the potato, unforeseen by William Cobbett, not so much as a food, but as a means of nation. Coal is giving out; petrol is going up in price and down in production. The supply of both is limited and must come to an end, but there comes the cheer that alcohol will be the motive force of the future. Petrol and coal may give out, but the earth will always grow potatoes. Potatoes can produce alcohol and alcohol can drive engines. In the potato we seem to have discovered the secret of perpetual motion.

Real Gratitude

Pessimists declare that the days of gay romance are dead—that there is no spirit of chivalry left in the breasts of the men of modern times. They are all wrong. Here we have the story in the daily papers that a man in Ohio left all his money to the girl who refused to marry him years ago. That's gratitude for you!

Another One on Twain

Mark Twain at a dinner at the Author's Club, said: Speaking of fresh eggs, I am reminded of the town of Squash. In my early lecturing days I went to Squash to lecture in Temperance Hall, arriving in the afternoon. The town seemed poorly billed. I thought I'd find out if the people knew anything at all about what was in store for them. So I turned in at the general store. Good afternoon, friend, I said to the general storekeeper. Any entertainment here tonight to help a stranger while away the evening? The general storekeeper, who was sorting mackerel, straightened up, wiped his briny hands on his apron and said: I expect there's going to be a lecture, I been selling eggs all day.

Comfort for the Dyspeptic.—There is no ailment so harassing and exhausting as dyspepsia, which arises from defective action of the stomach and liver, and the victim of it is to be pitied. Yet he can find ready relief in Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, a preparation that has established itself by years of effective use. There are pills that are widely advertised as the greatest ever compounded, but not one of them can rank in value with Parmelee's.

Her Portrait

The painstaking artist, anxious to please, remarked to prospective customer:

I can paint you a portrait of your wife which will be a speaking likeness. H'm. Couldn't you do it in what they call still life?

It may be better to give than to receive, but few of us are in a position to keep it up indefinitely.

Tired and Weak Nerves Exhausted

The feelings of fatigue and languor which overcome so many people at this season of the year tell of the exhausted condition of the nerves.

It is impossible to keep up the action of the heart and the blood is thin and watery, and this is why nearly everybody needs tonic treatment in the spring.

Some of the symptoms are restlessness, purposeless activity, insomnia, absent-mindedness, tired gait, lack of ambition and enthusiasm, headache and neuralgic pains, dyspepsia and feelings of languor and depression.

Monotony of work and mental overstrain or worry sap the nervous system, as does also the strenuousness of modern life, whether in the busi-

ness or social world. More and more men and women are obliged to seek the assistance of such concentrated foods as Dr. Chase's Nerve Food to restore vitality to the tired and worn-out nerves.

Such treatment is necessary, because diseases of the nerves do not right themselves. As nerve force runs low the digestive system fails to extract the necessary nutrition from the food. Dr. Chase's Nerve Food supplies in condensed form the ingredients required, and restores health.

A little patience is necessary in treating diseases of the nerves and rest helps to restore strength. You can be sure of lasting beneficial results when you use

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ly relieve constipation. They act to overcome the cause of constipation. They tend to eliminate the cause of sick headache, biliousness, bad breath, nervousness and other ills attendant upon inactive bowels.

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We want you to come to our store and get a package of Rexall Orderlies. Use a few or use up the entire box. Then, if you are not entirely satisfied, come back and tell us and we will promptly return the money you paid us for them.

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AUCTION SALE

Having received instructions from Mrs. W. L. Martin, I will sell by Public Auction at her house in east Didsbury on

Tuesday, Sept'ber 2nd

the following, consisting of:

Hard coal burner, heater; Soft coal burner, heater; Good Oak Sideboard; Dining Room Table, 10 ft. extension; 1/2 dozen Dining Room Chairs; 7 Odd Chairs; 3 Rocking Chairs; Morris Chair; Bed Couch; Center Table; Jar dinere stand; 3 Bedroom Suites, complete; 3 Iron Bedsteads, with Springs and Mattresses; 3 Rugs; Clothes Horse, Clothes Rack; Kitchen utensils, and dishes; Fruit Jars; Churn; Washing Machine; Wash Boiler; Wringer, and other articles too numerous to mention.

Gasoline Engine, 1 1/2 horse power; Wagon Rack; Lawn Mower; 3 Cream Cans; Brush Cutter, (Stevens.)

As Mrs. Martin is going to the home- stead everything mentioned above will be sold.

SALE AT 2.10 p.m. SHARP
TERMS CASH

G. B. SEXSMITH, Auctioneer

DIDSBURY MARKETS

Steers, grain fed, live	\$6.00
Beef, corn fed, dressed	11.00
Veal, dressed	12.00
Hogs, live	7.50
Hogs, dressed	10.00
Bacon, No. 1, smoked	22 1/2
Hams, No. 1	0.24
Mutton, dressed	0.12
Chickens, spring dressed	0.18
Clickens, live	0.12
Fowl	0.08
Hides, green	0.07
Butter, choice	0.18
Eggs	0.22
Potatoes, bushel	0.25
Wheat, No. 1 red	0.69
Wheat, No. 1 white	0.67
Oats, extra No. 1 feed	0.22
Oats, No. 1 feed	0.21
Oats, No. 2 and rejected	0.18
Barley, No. 4	0.26
Rye	0.36
Hay, timothy	15.00
Hay, upland	10.00

Tax Rate Struck

A regular meeting of the Council was held on Monday night, August 18th. Members present, Councillors Chambers, Moyle, Cooper, Sinclair; Secretary St. Clair and Solicitor Patterson; Absent, Mayor Atkins, Councillors Osmond, Durrer.

In the absence of the Mayor Councillor Chambers, by motion, acted as chairman.

Cooper-Sinclair, that Mayor Atkins and Councillor Moyle be delegates to attend the Union of Alberta Municipalities at High River on August 26th and 27th. Carried.

Bills in the hands of the Secretary and O'Kd were ordered paid, as follows: H. Roeth, \$23 25; H. Roeth, unloading coal, \$19 10; H. W. Chambers, \$12; A. Jury, work on C. P. R. park \$2 and work on electric lines \$5; A. G. Howe & Co., lumber, \$83.94, to be applied on taxes; A. E. Lyons, work, \$43 to be applied on taxes.

The Council then took up the tax rate for the year but did not finish and adjournment was made until Wednesday evening, August 20th.

The Council met again on Wednesday evening and the following members were present: Mayor Atkins, Councillors Osmond, Moyle, Chambers, Cooper, Secretary St. Clair, Solicitor Patterson; absent Councillors Sinclair, Durrer.

The Council again took up the tax question and threshed out the matter thoroughly, the Council finally coming to the conclusion that if the town wanted to hold its present condition instead of retrograding a tax rate which would provide funds enough for the Council to keep up repairs at any rate would have to be struck.

A by law, No. 115, was then drawn up placing the tax rate as follows: on school lands outside town limits, 8 mills; for school purposes inside town limits, 29 mills; general purpose 20 mills; for debenture rate 11 mills; total taxes for town 60 mills. Five per cent. rebate will be allowed on all taxes paid on or before November 1st, 1913.

The by-law received three readings and was passed.

Councillor Osmond brought in two notices of motion for next meeting of Council; one placing a business tax of 5 per cent. on rental value of business property with a 3 per cent. rebate to those owning property of the assessable value of at least \$1,000, the other motion was that a license fee of \$25 be levied on individual real estate and insurance agents and auctioneers.

On the Solicitors advice the first motion was withdrawn as it would not be legal to place any business tax at this time. The second notice stood for consideration at the next meeting.

The mayor placed a communication and blue prints on the table from the C. P. R. applying for permission to

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Being overstocked in several lines we are offering harness
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Saddles, Unlined Gloves, Curry Combs
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Come in and look them over

DIDSBURY HARNESS SHOP

EYESIGHT

We have made arrangements with the TAUBE OPTICAL CO., of Calgary and Vancouver for their Eyesight specialist Mr. S. L. Taube (who has had forty-two years experience in the Optical business) to be at our store on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 4th

If there is anything wrong with your eyesight do not fail to consult him.

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extend their passing track across Boundary street.

Moved by Councillors Chambers and Osmond that the Council approve of the extension of passing track across Boundary street as shown on C. P. R. blue prints.

The Council then adjourned.

Careless Shooting

Complaints of carelessness in shooting are being made in the district. Mr. L. J. Wigglesworth had a fine two year old steer killed on Saturday. Indications were that the death was caused by a large caliber bullet as there was a big hole right through the body of the animal. Mr. Wigglesworth stated to a Pioneer representative that he did not mind people shooting over his premises if they were careful but a loss of this amount made him feel that he would prohibit shooting on his place. He cannot be blamed if he did, considering the circumstances

BUSINESS LOCALS

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OATS FOR SALE--No. 1 feed
oats for sale at North Livery Barn.

Remember the date of Mr. Taube's visit to Chambers Drug Store on Thursday, September 4th, and if there is anything wrong with your eyesight do not fail to consult him.

Having sold out our flour and feed business and having dissolved partnership all accounts owing to us must be paid at once. I will still continue selling coal at the old stand. Sanford Reiler will be in charge of the business in the absence of H. Reiler. H. Reizer & Co.

Eighty-five per cent. of headaches are caused through eye-strain and if you are troubled that way do not fail to consult Mr. S. L. Taube at Chambers Drug Store on Thursday, September 4th.

Card of Thanks

We herewith wish to thank the people of Didsbury and surrounding district for their kind attention and sympathy during Flossie's illness and death, and to those who so generously supplied her with flowers.

MR. AND MRS. ROBT. GIBSON
AND FAMILY